(By Associated Press)

WASHINGTON, Sept. 18 .-

Lightning, beyond control of

timber areas larger than the state

acres of government and pri-

More than 300 federal forest

THE BALLINGER LEDGER

of the known as Indian Tom the The story of the passage of his hat it race was told to the Singers by

allniger nine kilocycles above the regional and has a sime of 70 kilowatts, while Graz the Hebbronville a few days ago was powerful Austrian station, is only Frank Collins, an oil field worker

A British Broadcasting / htard Hebbronville and being viewed but gasoline company

lem thinks that in the intermediate Arthur sever before seen a toad of exceed three recognitions. good reception wave lengt and Times ever before seen a toad of exceed three per cent be sacrificed and the

the growers. In addition to advertising for pickers in South

within a week many will come

bould have fewer statocumented, it moves being fed after which to put the land WA Sept 21 Street will tip the are visiting Mrs. Clark: one-half pounds. in Sweetwater for sever to the League of Nations treal exchange is open manchurian treal exchange is open.

league council has basis. The Paris bourse is one in the Manchurian treal exchange sent calls Francecial session ten towns in South Texasea The New York market opened of the pickers of the session that the governors issued a notice pickers of the session ten towns in South Texasea that the governors issued a notice pickers of the session ten towns in South Texasea that the governors issued a notice pickers of the session ten towns in South Texasea that the governors issued a notice pickers of the session ten towns in South Texasea that the governors issued a notice pickers of the session ten towns in South Texasea that the session texasea the session texasea that the ses for not less than 2,000 cotton the governors issued a notice pickers for use in this county at ing C. short selling. pickers for use in this county at ing Government expressed once. The move to several and the county at ing Government of Britain once. The move to secure pickers Louisiana, a consummacecess will be pushed by a number of

agencies in an effort to supply COLUMBIA, S. C., Sept. 18.—The farmers with all the help they South Carolina House today are listing farmers who want hibit cotton planting next year pickers and how many. The lists The measure was not debated will be totaled in the office of and the vote was not recorded. the county agent here and as fast It was passed by the Senate yesas pickers arrive will be sent to terday.

Texas a radio appeal will be Oklahoma Cotton Plan Announced

needed 300 pickers to assist them OKLAHOMA CITY, Sept. 18 .iately. Those who have been homa Cotton Growers' Associahighways leading to Ballinger to cotton for successive years. from South Texas and offering Three pools would be estab-pickers work, and that few of lished with inspectors in fifteen

McCulloch counties is afford- DECLARES IDLE MONEY

Price on Crude Pickers arriving here should be to work out in the world," Thomp-directed to the office of the son said, "This fact is substanti-

without uniforms and generally rated as one of the poorest in the

bers has a compete scout uniform and accessories, although some of West Texas Partly cloudy, pos-Tax Rate Same their fathers are unemployed. The boys worked for their equiption and the panhandle, toment, doing janitor work, mowing night and Saturday.

FOR SALE

Special Lot Victor Records

Regular Price, 3 for \$2.25

SALE PRICE

Three for

\$1

THURSDAY - FRIDAY AND SATURDAY ONLY

J. Y. PEARCE DRUG CO.

Moyle, Allen Plan Flight Lightning Charges of the spot today, the 91-Ulys est frequently and the spot today, the 91-Ulys est frequently and reference to allex NIO reference to allex N

(By Associated Press) A story sent by Don Moyle and Visit to Winters is C. A Allen to the Japanese newspaper Asahi and messages to the St. Paul naval radio station explained that the Americans were forced down when they attempted to fly from Tokyo to Seattle, alighting on an uninhabited island of the Aleutian chain after barely keeping their plane aloft in a storm for thirty-four

cleared they hopped off again, operative revival in progress there burning operations, locomotive landing on an island off the recently. Siberian coast where the Russian

steamer Buriat picked them up. Moyle and Allen will take off for Nome, Alaska, tomorrow, using fuel supplied them by the

Asahi, which had offered a \$25,000 for the Japan-Seattle flight, planned to pay \$2,500 for the unsuccessful attempt.

COLEMAN CLAIMS OLDEST DOCTOR IN WEST TEXAS.

more than 40 years he maintained several regional expositions, and fire lookouts ceaselessly scan

Dr. Beaumont was born in show was the best in West Texas columns of smoke. About 87 per ville. While just a boy he became serve. a member of Terry's Texas C. R. Stone responded to the the soil, flinging advance guards down and "pinch out" the fire's Rangers, being a trooper in Com- address of welcome, assuring of sparks as much as half a mile, progress. battle of Murfreesboro by a bullet it was a pleasure to be there and mobilized.

WHAT BORES PEOPLE? MESSAGES, SAYS SHAW county exposition.

sn't go out of his way to bore evening.

ry Cathedral's commemoraweek program, Shaw tele-

Enthusiastic Meet cause of such forest fires as have charred and blackened northwest

Ballinger and Winters people mingled together for more than in national forests so far in 1931 cessful visits staged by the local reports the United States forest The pair stayed on this island for seven days. When the weather cleared they hopped off are concerning the seven days are account of a big concerning the seven days. Spreading the concerning the seven days are concerning to the seven days and interest seven days.

Automobiles carrying several sparks and lumber camps achundred Ballingerites left here counted for most of the others. shortly after 7 p. m., arriving before the program was to begin.
They were met by Winters citiThey were met by Winters citizens in the real West Texas fashion, encouraging the entertainers to put forth their best efforts for their best efforts for their hosts.

A good program was presented than 384,168 acres of timber. by the Ballinger Band and for Damage to private timber lands, mingled in good fellowship. At the appointed time the audience greater. some time visitors and hosts WHO RECENTLY RETIRED was called to order by Mayor H. lieved to have destroyed 1,500,000 O. Jones of Winters, who extended (By Associated Press)

COLEMAN, Tex., Sept. 18.—The oldest physician in West Texas has retired from active practice. He is Dr. G. B. Beaumont, 86. For that he believed this county's ridges and valleys for telltale

1848. He received his early edu- added his organization's welcome

wound in the shoulder and was spend an hour with them, He the-age-of 16. Was followed by Charles Combes damination began prac- mercial and civic life of Ballinger, theris county, about 24 and Judge O. L. Parish explained se Houston. He later the purpose of the visit, the plan

CANTERBURY, England, Sept. and Jimmy Willshire, radio enter- ideas. -At least Bernard Shaw tainer, furnished diversion for the The governor suggested a con-

ked for a message for Can- VERNON'S FIRE LOSS MORE

VERNON, Tex., Sept. 18.—(P)— Trial of Preacher Fire losses here in August totaled paper and sales pads at reported this year here with a

essages bore people. Eschew \$6,325 as a result of six blazes, as compared to a loss of \$4,900 in July for the same number of writer ribbons, adding ma- fires. Fifty-one fires have been

(By Associated Press) dtf total loss of \$37,210.

MULHALL, Okla., Sept. 18 .--

Tractor Costs Study he calculation be- ing metropolis was Williams' A two-year study of tractor costs immediately began hunting for equal rank with his father. Ranch, a smaller but equally im- on Nebraska farms by Arthur H. the quartet. Center City was portant city, boasting of a tele-George of the University of The prosecuting attorney said a student's certificate, and Mrs. Levi Bostick surgraph office and a flour mill, Nebraska Agricultural College has the dead men owed Bernstein for Skinner has been a pupil for some ne western part of neither of which was possessed revealed that the average cost of a hundred gallons of alcohol and time.

Thousands of acres of valuable timberland in the northwest have been destroyed by forest fires this summer. Below is shown a section of woodland on Tea Kettle Mountain, Flat-head National Forest, Mont., being swept by flames while above Idaho National guardsmen are shown on the "firing Clarkesville, Tenn., in 1845, but that year. Clarkesville, Tenn., in 1845, but that year. S. W. Cooper, secretary of the and put under control before they the burning woods in an airplane before they catch fire and exhaving moved to this state in Winters Chamber of Commerce, burn more than 10 acres. to learn the extent of direction plode, scattering When a fire gets out of con- of the "enemy's" movements, the new fires, cation in La Grange, Reuterville, and pledged cooperation to the trol, leaving through treetops and ground forces dig miles of Fire fight

and Soule University at Fayette- fair in whatever way he could burrowing through underbrush trenches in a double flank attack chan and the dry humus that covers designed to gradually narrow

pany A. He was disabled at the people of the Winters section that bundreds of fire-fighters are Pumps, carried on backs of ting off oxygen, and the fire has

ference to reach an agreement on WELLINGTON TO BUILD

Halted by Illness Wellington citizens voted in favor of a \$65,000 bond issue for Bill Would Keep LAMAR, Mo., Sept. 18. - The recently, with 329 votes cast in illness of a juror today forced an favor of the bonds and 97 against. interruption of the trial of Rev. A meeting of the city council will be held at which time the gov- Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the American Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the legisla- solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the solicited members for the Sterling submitted to the solicited members for the dering Rev. George Rider, Kansas erning body will map out its ture today a bill to prevent the can Legion post, sponsor of the course of proceedure. It is not automatic tax board from increas- troop. The boys are now raising The shooting followed an argu- known just at this time whether ing the state property tax this money working cooperatively an nent April 4, in which Rider had the council will begin plans for year. asked Brown to preach at the Christian Union Church in Halley's Bluff.

The measure provides that the whether they will begin condemnation proceedings against the revenue, thirty-five cents for Ledger office. Dies in Oklahoma had attempted to secure a lower Heart Attack Fatal

against hunters killing deer.

gas rate. The present price for gas here is 75 cents per thousand To Former Senator died at his ranch home here to- Game wardens of south Missouri WASHINGTON, Sept. 18.

cratic senator from Idaho, died at

Charged in Killings VACATION TIME FINDS

SKINNERS UP IN AIR

Vivian, the daughter, is seeking

Buy your printing at home.

to specification of the practice of the practi Unemployment Bill For Killing of 3

the purpose of the visit, the plant of operation for the 1931 fair, and urged attendance and cowith the class of 1869. In the class of 1869 to the county, and after 18 years ice there come in 1886 to a county, where he has ded since.

Tulane University of Louisof operation for the 1931 fair, and urged attendance and cooperation of the citizens of the northern section of the county.

S. D. Williams, who has been connected with the progress of a county, where he has ded since.

(By Associated Press)

TULSA. Okla. Sept. 18—J.

H. Boyd. wounded in an arm, in phillips Petroleum Company, the shorting for field paying a dollar per barrel the shorting near Atlanta last for oil as asked by Governor William H. Murray, withdrew this desired.

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TULSA. Okla. Sept. 18—J.

H. Boyd. Wounded in an arm, in phillips person of the moving property of the s years, spoke to the crowd, adding his invitation to the Winters ployment relief bill and call a Sullivan and wounded William prevailing scale of forty-six to people to attend and work for the special session, demanding that Sullivan after the group had seventy cents. The Phillips company also cut Texas panhandle

PAYING OWN EXPENSES assistant secretary of the pany also cut Texas panhandle.

MUNICIPAL GAS PLANT company, said it only wanted to its own expenses

WELLINGTON, Tex., Sept. 18 .establishing a municipal gas plant in the city election held Northern Texas Utilities Com- schools, and seven for Confeder-

a geometrical calculacourse—in the exact cente of Texas and bedesignation the
town, then known Texas.

All shared in truth and in fact
could be expected. Dr. and Mrs. Harry S. Toy today charged Raycould be expected. Dr. and Mrs. Harry S. Toy today charged RayCLEARWATER, Fla., Sept. 18.—
Could be expected. Dr. and Mrs. Harry S. Toy today charged Rayto of the exact cenhonor Judge James T. Mills, one
their daughter at Temple, but Harry Keywell and Harry Fleisher, summer, the Skinner family will
Dr. Walker is expected to return home tomorrow.

Purple gang, with the massacre

B. G. Skinper, sr., holds a

his home here today from heart

of Joseph Lebovitz, Joseph Sutker transport license. Bruce, 14, the The name is still zenith and its nearest compet- LINCOLN, Neb., Sept. 18.—(4)— ment here Wednesday. Policemen weeks' instruction and aims at and Herman Paul in an apart- son, took a solo flight after three

have clothing and food. Do you want to sell it?

Every person connected

with your local printery must

There Are Many

Reasons

Why You Should

Patronize

Your Local Printery

Higginbotham Funeral Home

Quiet Efficient Service. Lady Assistant Funeral Car Invalid Coach :-:

Broadway at Park Avenue

operating the general purpose had been trying to undersell the tractor is 78 cents per hour. Purple gang on liquor.

val of Tree at Center City prings Protest from Citizens

spare That Tree" has been courthouse and other public Pioneer Showman ht to mind by a discussion buildings; and who shall say that inting to almost a contro- visions of a state capitol located over the removal of a tree on the eminence now occupied by within the lines of Highway the public school building did and the phase regarding not appear to those pioneers who Col. Zack Mulhall, pioneer fron- cubic feet. tree could be modernized to looked forward to the develop-"Highway Engineer, Spare ment of this section?

the tree in controversy-a early date for Center City shows Sunday. center City, Mills county, has county records, transcribed from the husband had been in failing the husband had been in failing the widow and one son survive. The funeral will be held Monday. nany persons, would make its and the outline provided for every Word received today from the eval almost a tragedy. The necessity of the new town. Its bedside of Miss Edel Belle Walker. of the tree is beyond the ken territory was later included in who has been in a Temple hosose living, but in the early that forming the new county of pital following a recent operation. ses a survey designated this Mills, named in truth and in fact said she was doing as well as DETROIT, Sept. 18.—Prosecutor

town, then known Texas.

of the place that

the town would some day become ley's Bluff. THWAITE, Tex., Sept. 18. a metropolis that they had a

The town plot made at that day. The funeral will be held have united in a campaign John F. Nugent, 63, former Demo-

ore, was changed When Center City was in its

where they are resting, floating. sailing along. \$500 CB ourts are grinding in many "They always live in the ocean, West Texas counties with heavy so you never see fresh water light blood of humans and of monkeys supposed to be a member of a regular appointment at Dewey dockets in front of them. Cole- up in the way that salt water who recovered from infantile traveling troupe who are stranded Saturday and Sunday, conducted Miss Tiny Wood spent Saturday man is in the midst of a session does. As the boat pushed little waves capable of neutralizing the virus Rockies and who pose as real redternoon and held services at this Mrs. Polk is doing nicely but the George Timms spent Sunday afternoon and held services at this Mrs. Polk is doing nicely but the George Timms spent Sunday afnew 119th district will begin a out of its way, and made waves of infantile paralysis. five weeks' session in San Angelo as it went along, the animalcules This serum, that is, the liquid tenderfoot ranch guests a thrill. Monday. District court will open in their ocean home lighted up portion of the blood taken from Situation are boundless and Mr. in Ballinger on the last Monday so that it looked as though beau- humans or monkeys who recovin November, but so far the tiful jewels or tiny reflections ered from the disease, when in- Oakie gets double laugh values out docket is rather light, few cases from many silvery moons were jected into the spaces of the of all of them. He is supported listed as criminal calling for any- illuminating the water. thing but a plea of guilty. The "I hope the next time I'm at monkey experimented with from Eugene Pallette, Mitzi Green, will soon recover. civil docket may be slightly heav- the seashere and see these lights an otherwise always fatal dose of Cecil Weston, Charles Sellon and ier next term than usual and in the water and someone says the virus of the disease. most of the public interest is it's phosphorus that I'll have a This led in 1912 to the empoy-

but little has been accomplished Clock took them back home they sufferers of the disease. towards helping the situation ex- were given extra hours so as to This serum, it is claimed, is was picked as one of the most cept when money is scarce and get their regular amount of effective early in the disease; be- important ten directors in Hollycredit must be had from local sleep. merchants. One reason for this The Clock's magic took care of the nervous system. failure is because merchants do that, but all night Peggy dreamed Still more recently some promnot practice what they preach of a gleaming ocean, and John ising experimental work has been they want customers to trade at dreamed that person after per-done in the effort to produce the produce t home but when they need some- son said, "I wonder what makes immune serum by instilling the turned cinematic a few years ago thing themselves that can be those lights. secured here they do not hesitate. And he had been able to say. In this manner we have acquired to go out of town to buy it. No again and again, "Animalcules!" one realizes this more than the newspaper which loses advertising daily to some out-of-town solic WILMETH OPENS MARKET

Cotton pickers are in great de-Cotton pickers are in great demand in Runnels county right now and many farmers are opposite the national guard A good sized crowd went to The singing at the home of Mr. searching everywhere for help armory, and is now doing business Abilene this afternoon to see the and Mrs. S. H. Wood Thursday without much success. Mexicans at this location. He states he will first night game of football in night was well attended and carry a complete line of fresh and that city between Simmons Cowcause many who were not citizens of the United States have been deported by the immigration serv- SCOUT TROOPS ARE ice, and their help in gathering the cotton crop is being missed. Some white people not working are refusing jobs when offered, preferring to beg than make an honest living picking cotton, Such cases should be reported to the the officers, and these bums told to the picking is good.

BOYS SLEEPING IN ROAD HIT BY PASSING AUTO

(By Associated Press) QUANAH, Tex., Sept. 18.—The farm boys in the Hooleyan community were struck by a passing car when they went to sleep on a

country road.

Trudging along on foot, the younger of the two, 10, insisted on lying down to rest. His brother 15, sat down to wait and both went to seep. They were hit by them until it was too late to avoid an accident. The younger be received a broken leg and the other escaped with bruises.

AND NOW-Black Cardboard at no extra cost, 6-ply 10c per sheet. Ballinger Printing Co.

up-to-date market

Saturday Only

for 8 o'clock tonight at Cowboy

Bob Steele in "Hunted Men"

ON SEVENTH STREET ABILENE FOOTBALL

CALLED FOR MEETING fans of both schools from here

Scoutmasters J. G. Tuckey and The report of each team's

Jimmy Parrish have issued a call points to plenty of good experi-

attle, living sistance to the disease.

against infantile paralysis.

Chapter Two of

"KING OF THE CONGO" Also Two Comedies

experi- which made Frederick Lonsdale one of the best known writers in then made to the world.

e to the disease by repeated injections Oakie Dons Chaps in Wild West Yery small doses of weakened Parody

Some of the monkeys so treated "Dude Ranch," mirthful offering the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Marten. in developed an active form of the at the Palace Theatre today and Bishop on the following Thursarids disease, and some did develop re- tomorrow.

In this picture the prince of But the method has not as yet Joydom will be seen for the first | We are glad to report Mrs. tended church at Dewey Sunday. Marcelle Turner. "We're passing through water worked out, and we have no time in a real cowboy "get-up." Dement, the mother of Mrs. W. effective vaccine, or other resist- But Jack isn't supposed to be O. Wood, improving after a recent ance-producing technique, the Richard Arlen type of two- illness. fisted, sure-shooting horseman of In 1910 it was shown that the the real Western pictures. He is

> nervous system, protected the by such able purveyors of fun as Alman is very low. We hope she Stuart Erwin.

expected to be centered on it. chance to tell them that they are ment of what is termed immune ous novel, "The Lone Rider of

Trading at home has been a campaign song for many years but little has been accomplished Clock took them back home they animalcules," John said.

Serum in the treatment of infantile paralysis. The immune serum is made from the blood of former but little has been accomplished. Clock took them back home they are the blood of former but little has been accomplished. tise," bossed "Dude Ranch." He fore damage has been done to wood by Variety, leading magazine for the show trade.

The romantic interest is capand who has made the words charm and beauty mean some

. WINGATE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Denton, f near Sweetwater, attended the ATTRACTS LOCAL PEOPLE singing Thursday night.

Friday - Saturday



Jack Oakie, Stuart Erwin ugene Pallette, Mitzi Green and June Collyer



Jack Oakie. Stuart Erwin, Eugene Pallette, featured with June Collyer, Mitzi Green in the Paramount Picture "Dude Ranch"

Rev. E. C. Mahurin filled his and relatives. paralysis contained substances near a "dude ranch" in the a funeral at Coleman Sunday af- afternoon with Mrs. Roy Polk. place Sunday night.

> Arvil Lee Wood spent Saturday night with J. B. Denison.

We are sorry to report Grandma with Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Wood.

Little Miss Dorothy Minor spenttending school at Cisco, likes her and other points in that state.

Flour

PRINCESS A Good Bleached F

No. 1 Idaho, White and

48 lbs.

Jack Oakie goes western in The next singing will be held at Sunday night with her aunt, Miss and everyone reported a nice

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hensley and

Edd Dement left Monday morning for Caldwell, where he will spent Sunday with W. O. Wood. spend a month or so with friends

little daughter, Weita Fay, is not ternoon with Mr. and Mrs. S. H. doing so well.

spent Sunday and Sunday night Mrs. R. A. Smith and children, Mrs. Rosie Dement, of Winters,

Hattie Murle Bishop who is at- friends at Mangum, Oklahoma

school fine. We hope continue to like it and make success of graduating the comb spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Gor Van Ker

Misses Tiny Wood and Anita Hensley took supper with Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Hensley.

Mr. and Mrs. Abner Cassen, of San Angelo, were week-end visitors in this community.

Most of the larmers of this community have started picking cotton, but they find it difficult to find pickers.

The party at Guy Gannaway's Saturday night was well attended time.

Little Miss Frances Bradshaw granddaughter, Anita Hensley, at- spent Sunday with little Miss

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Barnette

Edgar Allen spent Saturday night with Robert Wood.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wood and

Wood.

"REPORTER"

accompanied by Miss Estaline Davidson, left Wednesday for a We are glad to report that two weeks visit with relatives and

We Thank You

for your presence and patronage last Saturday at our Anniversary Sale. We have good values in store for you this Saturday and our every day prices are strictly in line with anybodys.

Specials for Saturday 19th

	Tea Bulk, Makes Fine Ice Tea		Compound
flour 69c		79c	8 lbs.
Bake Out 49c		Marshmallows 1 1b. Pkg.	

Extract Will Not oz. Ketchup Heinz's Peas Van Camp's 14 oz. 35c 3 for Eggs Salad Dressing and Relish We Want to Buy Your Eggs Two 8 oz. Jars 29c Coffee Fruit Jars Bulk Ground 69c Quarts 4 lbs. 50c Dry Salt Spuds Yams Bacon

10 lbs. 15 lbs. 10c SAM BEHRINGER'S CASH AND CARRY GROCERY

Lean Streaked

DOROTHY DARNIT









East Texas Potat

When Puffy gets a notion that he wants a certain thing.

matter how much pressure anybody else can bring. gets. So today he starts out

ooking for a Horse. least one's big enough to see (By Associated Press)

The deal was consummated after Captain Rosindo Perez and E. I. Anderson, of Laredo, was

of Kentucky blue-bloods imported at prices being offered here. by the Brady farms last year. Calanac and Sporting Miss, two Patronize our advertisers.

in the race meets of this section during the summer.

Sts BER 139

BRADY, Texas, September 18 .- This is the second sale of shipment of seven thorough- thoroughbreds made by the Brady page and polo horses has men to Mexican army officials in

exican army the past few months.

The horses were shipped by Brady per mas truck to Monterrey. ---

Colonel Rosindo de Anda of Mon- in Ballinger Friday en route with terrey, Mexico, personally selected his daughter to place her in Sul these ponies. The purchase was Ross College, Alpine. Mr. Ander- NEW YORK, Sept. through Sheriff Alonzo Taylor of his friend, J. F. Lusk. He said stage, it doesn't matter that the warning Then and bombed as interpreter ticularly good to him and that no that his new All of these seven horses are difficulty should be had in secur- comedy, "Friendwhich constitute part of a string ing pickers for this kind of staple ship," isn't a too

imposing piece

doesn't matter

of dramatury

particularly. It

provides a role

for its author to

perform and so

erves its pur

in perfect teamwork.

He Puts it Over

of his vehicle.

Just as one GEORGE M. COHAN

Audiences marvel at his work, and they little care for the merits

play, but it was a hit with Cohan.

The same is true with "Friend-

In this new comedy Cohan deals

with the problem of youth, and

forcibly takes the adolescents

across his knee and gives them a

He points to their vociferous

ideals, yet taunts them because

they haven't the courage of their

elders in fighting for those ideals.

as the leading woman, and a

minor part is creditably acted by Helen Cohan, youngest daughter of the author, making her

Businesses Which

Help Build City

Currie Produce Company

W. B. Currie, head of the Currie

Produce Company, is a real

pioneer in Ballinger business and since coming here in 1896 has

served with a number of firms

His first venture in Ballinger

was in the grocery business with

J. F. Lusk in the early days here.

Late he was connected with the

Currie-Noyes Company, then with

Claude Wilmeth in the grocery

business. In 1920 he and Willie

Stephens bought the Currie Mercantile Company which they operated until 1926. The latter part of

this period, however, Mr. Stephens

withdrew to engage in the racket

store business while Mr. Currie

carried on in the retail grocery

business, enjoying the very best

of patronage from residents of

In Japuary 1920 Messrs. Currie

and Stephens purchased from E.

A. Jeanes the feed, produce and

hatchery business now known as

the Currie Produce Company and

have conducted same ever since.

The store handles all type of field

and garden seed, feed for livestock and poultry, busy produce

and does individual and custom

The hatchery business has de-

veloped rapidly in this section.

The year after the Currie com-

pany acquired this business an-

other large hatchery was in-

stalled. The two machines have a

capacity of 12,096 and 10,350 eggs

and since 1926 have had an aver-

age turn-out of 700,000 baby

chicks annually. The hatching

season opens the second week in

January and continues through

feeds is featured for cattle, chick-

ens, hogs, pigeons and rabbits.

The Purina line of balanced

In season this store handles

much fruit for canning, preserv-

ing, etc., and practically anything

needed in the way of feed or other

produced can be procured there.

Both of the proprietors know the

needs of their town and county

and strive to serve their patrons in a helpful manner. They have

both been closely associated with

civic, religious and educational

life of Ballinger and work hard

for worthy local projects. Mr.

Currie served as president of the

local school board when the high

school building was constructed

and devoted much of his time to the business of that institu-

tion.

hatching of baby chicks.

this section of West Texas.

that did their share of trade.

Lee Patrick must be applauded

stinging verbal spanking.

"Gambling" was not a great

pose.

of Cohan.



SYNOPSIS: Sudden riches descend upon Sam Sherrill through the success of her stepfather's invention. She has had a hard pull managing the family affairs. Her mother left her control of the property, because the poor business ability of her stepfather Fourth Aldersea reduced the family to poverty. Sam realizes now that her engagement to Peak Abbott owner of the Express where she works would not have been necessary. She loves Freddy Munson, but accepted Peak's offer of a businesslike marriage because of the need of money and because her stepbrother Nelson hurt their social prestige by marrying their maid. She has been slow to believe in Fourth's invention tearing that he of the money from a rich widow who is interested in him. Nelson is also suspicious doubting the invention's volve. "Are you sure that this invention business is on the level?" he asks

Chapter 21

ONE SMALL PROMISE

it's on the level."

beat it? Do you remember how we moved." used to laugh about it?"

looks as though the joke were on "Of course you have." He looked us, after all."

"I have here," he announced, "a little gift which I have been mean ing to give you for some time I warn you, however, that it is given only under certain very definite conditions."

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"Fourth, how wonderful. What are A promise is a hard thing to dodge. the conditions?"

are to spend every cent of it in one fluenced by one small promise. the rising of the sun 'd its next and then shook her head. "Are you setting. Do you agree:

dropped the check in her lap glanced at the figures on its face. a matter of fact."

take it back. "Nonsense!" Fourth was tremen own interests."

dously pleased with himself. "We "Quit it, Sam!" said Peak almost ize it." He waved an admonitory finger. "Remember now You've promised to spend it all in a single tin god i just said that you weren't

Sam, of course, said the thing "Spending money is a habit," said carefully, and I mean it!"

the seemed to have a talent Express?"

Why, I think so." He stared. Do you really want to give it up?"

slightest pain. When, at last, she returned to the stable, her money was gone but surprised. "I thought you saidthere were bright spots of excite "I know what I said, but that living in a dream, and something same girl anymore. I've changed. as she had taken off her hat

tonight." she told him swally How's your strength?"

"My strength is magnificent, Sam

What's the bad news?" "Just this." Sam laughed. "I dinner, understand, but the quin theroughly happy tessence of dinners. After that we can drop in for the last act of the Peak Think of something gay for lightest possible musical comedy us to do tomorrow night, will you ncing at the Ritz. Flowers will pected, of course with orchids rred. How about it?"

that I've been wanting to do past six months." fell into the spirit of the

> a new Sam. Instead of alucerely happy. Peak better look out, Peak-I'm warning if he would be able to you!" He to'd himself grimly

sonal friendliness. I' did very well during dinner and at the theater, but when they were seated at their little table in the Ritz grill afterward, he could not resist an overpowering impulse to speak about her appearance. "Your dress, Sam," he said slow-

built-up attitude of almost imper-

"Your new dress it's simply "Thanks, Peak!" She imiled. "It

really isn't a dress though. It's a symbol of a new era." "Oh." He frowned. "I see what you mean. You mean it's a symbol

of your new financial standing." Sam told him of her shoppin expedition She sighed. "I suppose I'll wake up when the clock strikes

"I don't think so, Sam." He YES, Nelson I had the same for you to wake up, because the shook his head. "There's no reason idea, myself, at first, so I whole thing is true." He looked at her closely. "I wonder if you know asked Peak to investigate. He says how true it is, and precisely what it means. It means, you know, that "That darned invention -can you your reason for marrying me is re-

The animation went out of Sam's "I do." She smiled. "It rather face. "I've thought of that."

away. "Well, nothing remains but When Sam got home to the lor you to say the word " stable. 'ourth led her into the liv Sam played with the engagement ing room. He was carrying a cheek ring on her left hand. Then she

"Money for me?" Sam smiled "Unimportant? I'm not so sure.

"Perhaps, but your whole life is "The conditions are that you are a fairly important thing. If I were to spend every cent of it on clothes you I'd do some serious thinking for yourself. Not only that, but you before I decided to let it be inday. Every penny must go between | Sam looked at him for a moment

always like this, Peak?' she in-"Do I agree?" Sam laughed. "I quired gently. "Don't you ever readily." think about yourself at all?"
"Nonsense!" He scowled and the Fourth nodded and color deepened in his 'ace. "I think

about myself constantly. I hardly Sam picked up the check and ever think about anything else, as "Really?" Sam was pleasantly "Fourth!" Sam waved the check skeptical. "Are you thinking about

in a sort of panic. "Why this is a yourself when you advise ma to perfectly enormous amount of break our engagement? From what money! This is more than I spend you've said about your feeling for on clothes in a year. You must me, I should say that you were thinking about anything but your

have plenty of money now, and I angrily. "Quit trying to make me Intend that you shall begin to real out a little tin god. You'll find out enough that I'm not." "I didn't say you were a little

exactly selfish." "Selfish is just what I am! I'm

was impossible, and that she would not anxious to know that I've pever be able to go through with it ruined your life I tell you to think Fourth with a grin, "but it's one "All right, Peak, Let's not quar-

which is very easily acquired rel." She smiled. "I'll promise to Something tells me that you'll learn think carefully by not for a apidly. At any rate you must give while. For a wile I'm going to have myself a a time. By the Sam gave it a try the next day way, do you think you could find found that Fourth had been some one to take my place on the

"Yes.

"Taut's strange." He was frankly

ment in her cheeks. She had been was some time ago. I'm not the within her demanded insistently You have no idea" She nodded that the dream must go on She brightly. "And now, if you don't telephoned Peak, therefore, as soon mind, we won't talk about serious matters any longer. From now on, "I have an assignment for you I'm going to have a good time. Do you understand, Peak, I'm going to warn you that it won't be easy have an utterly foolish but perfectly splendid good time

An utterly foolish and perfectly splendid good time was just what they had. When they finally arwant you to take me in town to rived at the front door of the stable dinner. I don't want an ordinary Sam was utterly exhausted but still

She said: "It's beer wonderful, he evening might conclude with please? I have another dress that I want to show the world."

"Another dress?" He tried not to look at her. "Well, I only hope and!" Peak whistled. "It reads it isn't any more of a menace than the one you have on. This ne does plenty to me, and not only me. I could see every other man in the performed his task per place looking at you. It isn't decent!

"Really?" She was childishly dent and preoccupied as she lighted. "Good! That's just what for so long, she was gay I want to have happen. I'm sick ree. It was obvious that and tired of being decent. You'd

THE BALLINGER LEDGER

st of the known as Indian Tom. aring the The story of the passage of his co, that it race was told to the Singers by we camp of Indian Tom, who explained about In ians, who the diseased cattle. time after Alexander Singer said he also

d to escape found the spot where the Comanches and the Carancahuas heat omes forth battled. There were many tomathe des- hawks and arrowheads there, he its into said.

Singer of I had my eyes I could take Comparisons when you to the spot today," the 91- "Ulys es" frequently ar year-old man said In the opinion of hardrin

Jim Hogg county, who acted as cotton in this section looked par- play. So the fact the laundry in his washing may be the laundry in his washin chines. He appeals to a magis- th trate, but he, too, is in league with by the gangsters.

He goes to the police commis- is planning sioner with his problem, and then for the various and he becomes too dangerous for the chase books for the/ racketeers. He is murdered right brary, which will circulate ENEVA, Sept. 21-

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